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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Robert Johan Joseph HAGEMAN et al.

Serial No. (unknown)

Box Non-fee Amendment

Filed herewith

PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS
FOR ALLEVIATING DISCOMFORT

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action and calculation
of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified
application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

~~Cancel claims 1-15.~~

Add the following new claims:

--16. (new) method of treatment or prevention of
serotonin- or melatonin-mediated disorders, such as
improving senses of well-being, control of feeling of pain
and improvement of mood and sleeping behaviour comprising
administering to a person in need of such treatment, an
effective amount of a combination of folic acid, vitamin B6
and B12 and at least one component selected from riboflavin,
thiamine, niacin and zinc.